

Purpose & Focus

This exercise focuses on participants getting to know each other better and enables them to collectively consider the nature of all individuals.

Participants

Any number of participants.

Time Allotment

5 – 15 Minutes

Activity Level

Low

Materials

- "Getting to Know You" Questions
- Small container

Preparations

- Print and cut out the "Getting to Know You" questions
- Fold the strips of paper and put them in a small container and your activity is ready!

Method

 Each participant takes one question from the container, reads the question out loud, and answers the question.

Discussion

Did you learn anything new about a peer?

Would you rather be a narwhal or a unicorn?

Have you ever made a meal by yourself?

If you could change places with anyone in the world, who would it be and why?

Are you a cat person or a dog person?

What is your dream job?

What fictional world or place would you like to visit?

If you could be any animal in the world, what animal would you choose to be?

What's your favorite sandwich?

The zombie apocalypse is coming! Name 3 people you want on your team

What would your superpower be & why?

You have to sing karaoke:

What song do you pick?

What is your favorite time of the day & why?

If you can instantly become an expert in something, what would it be?

Are you a morning person or a night person?

You have three wishes: What do you wish for?

What's a small thing someone did that really encouraged you?

What is the best piece of advice you have ever received?

What one song do you know every word to?

What song always gets stuck in your head?

If there an extra hour in every day, how would you spend your extra hour?

Who is the wisest person you know?

If you could eliminate any food from existence, what would it be?

Where is the most interesting place you have ever been?

If money were no object:

Where would you like to go on vacation?

What is the hardest thing you've ever done?

Name one goal you'd like to accomplish during your lifetime.

What is the one thing that you really like about yourself?

What part of your daily routine do you enjoy most?

What is the best thing that happened to you this past week?

What is your goal in life? Do you think you will achieve it?

If you could be someone else, who would you be?

If you could buy a car right now, what would you buy?

If you could go back in time and change history, what would you change & why?

If you could have any question answered, what would it be?

If you could have any kind of pet, what would you have?

If you could invite four famous people to dinner, who would you choose & why?

If you could talk to anyone, living or deceased, who would it be?

If you could wish one thing to come true this year, what would it be?

If you could visit any planet: which one would you choose & why?

What is your favorite Christmas song? What was the coolest gift you ever received? What is your favorite cookie? Do you like pickles? Why or why not? What do you enjoy most about school? What is the one thing you would really like to own? Why? Who is your favorite cousin? Why is he/she your favorite? How can you tell if someone is a nerd? What is your favorite candy? What is your favorite holiday? What do you enjoy about it? If you were an ice cream flavor: Which one would you be & why? What is your favorite sport?

How do you like to spend a rainy day? What are you passionate about? What is the first thing you notice about someone when you first meet? What one thing do you think would create peace in the world? What is your favorite thing to do outside? Which celebrity do you dislike the most? What's your favorite song right now? Would you rather live near the beach or the mountains? Have you ever been told you look like someone famous? If so, who? If you could cure one illness, what would it be? If you could cure one illness, what would it be? What is one thing that you like about the person to your right? What is your favorite chip flavor? If you could eat at only one restaurant for

the next year, which would it be?

Crunchy or smooth peanut butter?

What is your favorite "healthy" snack?

What is your favorite card game?

What motivates you?

Is it important to make the world a better place? Why or why not?

Name something you have always wished you could do. How could you make it happen?

When a lot of other people have something, do you tend to want to buy it as well?

What is the greatest challenge you have ever faced? How did you handle it?

Pineapple on pizza: yes or no?

What would you like to be doing five years from now?

What is the biggest way someone has made a positive difference in your life?

Which of your friends encourages you to make good decisions?

If you had an unlimited amount of money, what would you do with it? Why?

How do you help your friends feel more positive about themselves?

What is one thing you wish you knew how to cook?

Do you have a vision of the person you want to become?

Do you think that giving to others changes a person?

What qualities make you a good friend to have?

How important is it to do your best on a job? Why?

What careers interest you? Why?

What is the worst argument you ever had with someone? Did it get resolved?

How do you decide what you "need" to buy versus what you "want" to buy?

In your opinion, how important is it to dream and set goals?

What is the most important quality you look for in a friend?

Do you think there's a good part to making mistakes?

How do you react if someone doesn't agree with what you believe?

What 2 things do you consider yourself to be very good at?